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Attention: Ms. Sue Kiser

Attention: Mr. Ray Sukys

Dear Ms. Kiser and Mr. Sukys:

The California Department of Transportation has completed the review of Council of Fresno County Governments' (COFCG) Administrative Modification Number 8 to their 2008/09-2011/12 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP). This modification adds \$5,297,000 of American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act) funds to one project (EA 432101) in the State Highway Operation and Protection Program grouped project listing for Mobility. A like amount of State Cash is deleted from the project for a net zero impact. Minor modifications to the Highway Bridge Program (HBP) grouped project listing have also been made. The lead agency has been changed from Caltrans to Various Agencies. In addition, \$1,168,300 of HBP funds, \$153,698 of Proposition 1B Local Bridge Seismic Retrofit Account funds, and the corresponding local match have been moved from Fiscal Year 2010/11 to 2011/12. COFCG submitted these changes through an administrative modification consistent with the Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP) modification procedures. Since administrative modifications do not require Federal Highway Administration or Federal Transit Administration approval, this modification has been included in California's 2009 FSTIP.

Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Penny Gray of my staff, at (916) 654-3521.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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